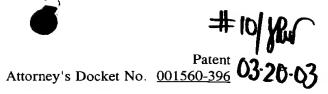


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	In re Paten	at Application of	)		
	Kengo AKIMOTO et al  Application No.: 09/807,541		)	Group Art Unit: 1651	
			)	Examiner: Kailash C. Srivastava	
	Filed: Apr	ril 13, 2001	)	Confirmation No: 7683	
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		PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  MAR 1 0			
	Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231			RECEIVE MAR 1 8 2003 TECH CENTER 1600/2900	
	Sir:				
	The following extension of time is requested to <u>extend the time period for responding to the Office Action mailed September 10, 2002</u> :  three months to <u>March 10, 2003</u> ; the extension fee is:				
		[ ] \$465.00 (2253)	[X] \$930.00 (I	253).	
	[]	The shortened statutory	period has been r	eset by an Advisory Action dated	
	[X]	An extension fee in the a	amount of \$ <u>930.0</u>	oo is enclosed.	
	[ ] Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.				
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R.					
	§§ 1.16, 1.	.17 and 1.21 that may be r	equired by this pa	aper, and to credit any overpayment, to	
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